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AMENDMENTS AND REMARKS

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2004, a response to which is due December 20, 2004.

Claims 1-17 and 21-23 are allowed; claims 18-20 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph.

Following are applicants' amendments to the claims. Explanatory remarks follow the amendments, each section beginning on a separate page.

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